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Petition from B Basava Aradhya

praying for scholarship

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His Highness The Chumarajendra Wodier Bahadoor
The Maharajah of Mysore

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May it please your Highness

That your Highness' petitioner passed his Matriculation Examination from the Maremallappa's School in the year 1879 A scholarship of Rs5 was settled upon him by the Trustees of that school.

With the aid of [illegible] he passed the First in Arts Examination in your Highness' College Mysore and passed his examination in the first class He joined the Junior B A class of the Central College Bangalore in February last on a Government scholarship of Rs4 This together with what he draws from Maremallappas School after meeting the cost of the school fees and the purchase of books will leave him scarcely anything to live upon Your Highness' petitioner being an Aradhya of the Sivachar persuasion has not the advantages which Brahmin Students however poor, have Your Highness' petitioner's father draws Rs 15 as a teacher in your Highness' Canarese School and having a large family to support &

is hardly able to pay for your Highness' petitioner's education some of your Highness' petitioner's fellow students who joined the Madras Educational Institutions have advanced so far and have distanced him by so much that he feels a strong desire to join one of those Institutions and to try his best to overtake them This desire he has no prospect of executing unless your Highness extend your Highness' patronage to him by settling a scholarship upon him tenable for 2 years and thus enable him to complete his scholastic education

For which act of kindness your Highness' petitioner as in duty bound shall ever pray

B Basava Aradhya

22nd April 82
Mysore